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# MRS. GRUNDY

MRS. GRUNDY--A character in Morton's Comedy, "Speed the Plough,"---Standard Dictionary.

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## TRACY CITY HAS DISASTROUS FIRE

**\$20,000 Goes up in Smoke Work  
OF Incendiary, Who is Appre-  
Hended.**

On last Saturday morning at 1 o'clock fire was discovered in the grocery store owned and operated by Mr. Henry Flury, which was consumed with a loss of about \$8000 to stock and building. The grocery and feed store of Victor Flury near by, was burned, with a loss of \$7,000. The restaurant and living apartments of J. O. Sanders were destroyed, as well as the meat shop of Robertson & Wright, the building being owned by J. K. P. Pearson. Two adjoining buildings owned by Mr. Pearson were also burned. The Grundy County Times, which was over the grocery of Mr. Henry Flury's was also consumed by the flames with a loss of \$1,000. with no insurance. Mr. Pearson were valued at \$2,000.

The fire is believed to have been the work of incendiary.

There was no insurance on any of the buildings, which were all frame. No insurance was carried on the stocks destroyed. The fire was first seen by the watchman at the engine house, gave the alarm, but the fire had gained too great a headway to be conquered with the limited facilities at hand.

Clyde C. Newsom who was arrested Sunday night, charged with the crime and was tried last Wednesday before four Justices of the

Peace, who consumed the whole part of the day in examining witnesses, and he was bound over to court to await the action of the grand jury.

### IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Shook School Improvement Club will meet at the College Monday afternoon at 3.30. All members are urged to be present.

### HEALTH DAY

Health Day will be observed at the M. E. Church, South second Sunday in November 7 p. m. Addresses by resident physicians. Everybody come.

Mrs. Jeff Brookman spent a few days last week in Winchester.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence O Neal died last week and was buried at the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Leo Hassler left last Thursday for Williamsport, Tenn., where she goes to visit her sister, Mrs. Jno. S. Henley.

Mr. D. R. Parker and son, of Birmingham, Ala., spent last Wednesday here.

Rev. Henry Hamby, of Nashville, spent Sunday with homefolks.

Miss Cora Hamby, of Decherd, spent Sunday with homefolks.

New line of Aluminium ware at The York Stores.

Heating Stoves, grates, fire shovels and coal hods at The York Stores.

Log Cabin Maple Syrup at Baggenstoss Bakery.

Miss Lizzie Hassler spent Monday in Monteagle.

## TO PATRONS GRUNDY CO. TIMES.

Mrs. Grundy:

Accepting your generous offer of space in your paper we desire to state to our subscribers and friends that the entire plant of the Grundy County Times was totally destroyed by fire on last Friday night and it is impossible for us to print a paper this week. To every one in Grundy County and elsewhere who have at any time favored us with their patronage we are indeed grateful.

Many of our subscriptions are past due and we hope our friends will send in the small amounts due us and help us again get on feet. If you have not paid any on your subscription since we took over the Times plant you would have owed us \$1.00 on the 12th of next month. Will you please bring or send the amount due at once as ours was a total loss, not even our books and accounts were saved.

We desire also to express to the management of Mrs. Grundy our thanks for their kind offers and words of sympathy.

Very truly,  
Grundy County Times  
by J. B. Brown, Manager.

## MRS. MARGARET KILGORE.

Mrs. Margaret Kilgore died Monday night after an illness of only a few hours. She had suffered a stroke of paralysis that afternoon and nothing could be done to save her. She leaves to mourn her loss five children and a host of friends and relatives. She was buried in the city cemetery Tuesday afternoon.